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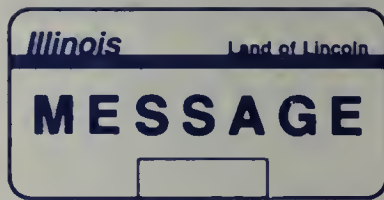
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- * Passenger Car
- * B-Truck
- * Motorcycle
- * Handicapped

JIM EDGAR
Secretary of State



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**FROM
JIM EDGAR:**

Since 1980, Illinois drivers have been buying vanity and personalized license plates that say something special and unique.

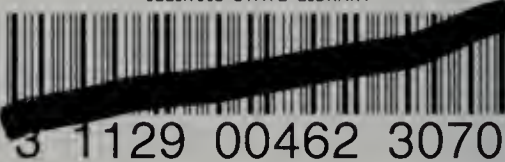
Over \$7.2 million has been generated from the sale of over 244,000 pairs of vanity and personalized license plates.

This is one of the few state government programs in which the people of Illinois have the opportunity to creatively express themselves and, at the same time, help provide financial support for highway maintenance.

I encourage you to join thousands of Illinois drivers and participate in this program.

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How to Apply

- * Complete the attached request form and mail to our office. Availability of plate numbers cannot be given over the phone.
- * **DO NOT SEND MONEY WITH THIS FORM** unless you are applying for a title and/or first time registration.
- * Randomly selected license plates are issued to applicants when their exact request is not available and they are applying for first time registration.
- * You may request vanity or personalized plates at any time during the year, not just at renewal time. Requests are granted on a first-come, first-serve basis.
- * No requests will be accepted that contain any characters, symbols, foreign words, letters of punctuation, or phrases deemed offensive by our office.
- * If your requested plates are available, you will be sent an application, which must be completed and returned to this office with the proper fee within 15 days. You will receive your new plates in about 45 days.
- * If your present sticker expires within 60 days, you must renew it before we will mail your new plates. When your new plates are mailed, a replacement sticker will be included at no additional cost.

APPLICATIONS FROM DEALERS:

- * The dealership where you purchased your vehicle can apply for vanity/personalized license plates for you.

LEASED VEHICLES:

- * A leased vehicle is eligible for a vanity/personalized plate if the owner has filed proof of insurance with the Secretary of State's Office.

VANITY LICENSE PLATES

DEFINITION: Having 1, 2 or 3 numbers only; or 3, 4, 5, 6, or 7 letters only.

AVAILABILITY:

PASSENGER: Numbers - 1 thru 999
Letters - 3, 4, 5, 6, or 7

B-TRUCK: Numbers - 1 thru 999
Letters - 3, 4, 5, 6, or 7

HANDICAPPED: Numbers - 1 thru 999
Letters - 3, 4, 5, or 6

MOTORCYCLE: Numbers - 1 thru 999
Letters - 3, 4, 5, or 6

COST: The initial fee is \$75 for passenger, B-truck, and handicapped plates, and \$40 for motorcycle plates and \$10 each year thereafter. These fees are in addition to the regular registration fee.

EXAMPLE: The passenger plates with the words "I BUY USA" cost \$75 for the separate vanity plate fee, \$48 for the regular registration fee, and \$3 for the title fee: total - \$126. The next year's renewal fee will be \$48 plus the \$10 for a total of \$58.

PERSONALIZED LICENSE PLATES

DEFINITION: Having 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6 letters with numbers for passenger plates; 3, 4, or 5 letters with numbers for B-trucks or motorcycles; and 2, 3, 4, or 5 letters with numbers for handicapped.

AVAILABILITY:

PASSENGER: Letters and Numbers -
2 letters plus 1 thru 99
3 letters plus 1 thru 99
3 letters plus 1000 thru 9999
4 letters plus 1 thru 999
5 letters plus 1 thru 99
6 letters plus 1 thru 9

B-TRUCK: Numbers and Letters -
1 thru 999 plus 3 letters
1 thru 99 plus 4 letters
1 thru 9 plus 5 letters

MOTORCYCLE: Letters and Numbers -
3 letters plus 1 thru 999
4 letters plus 1 thru 99
5 letters plus 1 thru 9

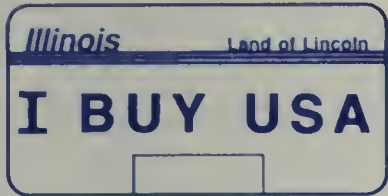
HANDICAPPED: Letters and Numbers -
2 letters plus 1 thru 9999
3 letters plus 1 thru 999
4 letters plus 1 thru 99
5 letters plus 1 thru 9

COST: For **vehicles that are currently registered**, the fee is \$11 for passenger, B-truck and handicapped, and \$9 for motorcycle plates.

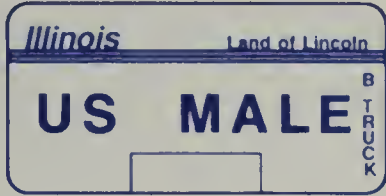
For a **newly acquired vehicle**, only the regular fee of \$48 is required, plus \$3 if title related.

SAMPLE PLATES

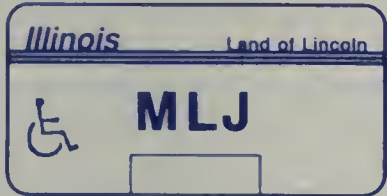
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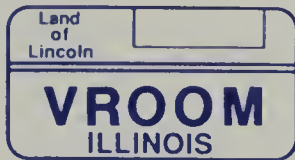
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B-Truck

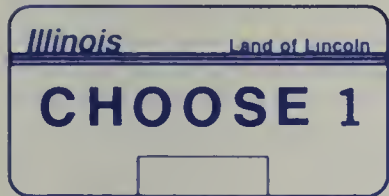


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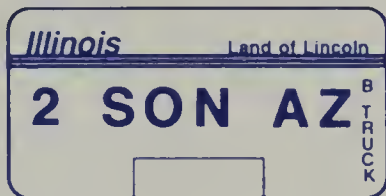


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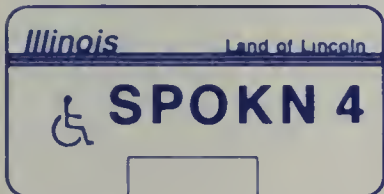
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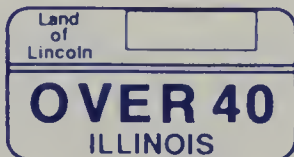
Passenger



B-Truck



Handicapped



Motorcycle

Office use only

VANITY OR PERSONALIZED LICENSE PLATE REQUEST FORM

(Detach and Mail)

VEHICLE OWNER'S
NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____

STATE _____

ZIP _____

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1st Choice

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2nd Choice

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3rd Choice

If your exact request is not available, would you like for us to assign you the next available number in that series?

Yes _____ No _____

Home telephone # _____

Work telephone # _____

Circle type of plate wanted: passenger B-truck motorcycle handicapped

Please indicate below whether you have applied for or currently have Illinois title and plates.

_____ Applied for Illinois plates but have not received them

_____ Currently have Illinois title and plates # _____

_____ Currently have Illinois title only

_____ Do not have Illinois title and plates

Expiration date _____

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